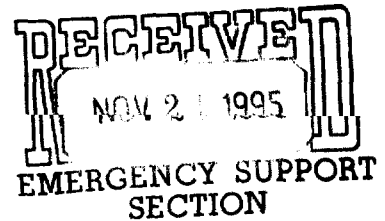


**PHIBRO-TECH, INC.**



November 15, 1995

Ms. Linda Beasley  
Enforcement Specialist  
U.S. EPA - Region V  
Emergency Support Section HSE-5J  
77 West Jackson Boulevard  
Chicago, Illinois 60604

RE: Phibro-Tech, Inc. / Conservation Chemical Company of Illinois

Dear Ms. Beasley:

We are in receipt of your letter of November 3, 1995. Phibro-Tech, Inc. as successor in name to CP Chemicals Inc. purchased only the assets of Southern California Chemical Inc. in 1984. Further we have no knowledge of any relationships between Metro Central and Southern California Chemical Inc. At the time of alleged involvement with (CCC), the site was owned and operated by Mr. Ed King currently of :

Mr. Ed King  
Asoma Instruments, Inc.  
11675 Jollyville Road  
Austin, Texas 78759  
(512) 258-6608

Should you have any questions, please contact me at (201) 944-6020.

Sincerely,

Thomas L. Moran  
Senior Vice President &  
Chief Environmental Officer

